GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PS – PR&RD Department Allegations on quality aspects in execution of CC road works sanctioned under NREGS in Fathimapuram (v) of Pragadavaram Gram Panchayat of Chintalapudi (M) of West Godavari District - Disciplinary proceedings against Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of Charges – Orders - Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 149 **Dated: 08-03-2017**

Read the following:

1. From DG, GA(V&E) Department, Vigilance Report No.32(C.No.96/V&E/E2/2014), Dt.27.04.2016.
2. G.O.Rt.No.148, PR&RD (Vig.I) Department, Dt.08.03.2017.

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ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charges (Annexure-I and II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure III and IV).

3. Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District, is directed to submit a Written statement of his defence within 10 days of the receipt of this order.

4. Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District, is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He, should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District, is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 or the orders/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex parte.

6. Attention of Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District, is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matter pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District, is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

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7. The receipt of the order be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

To
Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRISD, Gopalapuram, WG District, **through** Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada (with a request to serve the charges to the individual and furnish a served copy to Govt.,)
SF/SC.

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ANNEXURE-I

Statement showing the Draft Article of Charge against Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District.

CHARGE:

That Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District has committed certain irregularities on quality aspects in exeution of two (2) works sanctioned under NREGS in Fathimapuram (v) of Pragadavaram GP of Chintalapudi (M) of WG District, causing loss of Rs.19,57,299/- to Govt. exchequer

By his above mentioned act, Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District, failed to discharge his duties, lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of a Government Servant & thereby contravened Rules, 3(1) and 3(2) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(PR)

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Annexure-II

Statement of imputations of misconduct in support of Article of Charges framed against Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District

As per vigilance report No.32 (C.No.96/V&E/E2/2014), dated: 27.04.2016, the following CC road works sanctioned under NREGS in Fathimapuram (v) of Pragadavaram GP of Chintalapudi (M) of WG District.

(i) Comprehensive development Project for providing internal roads with CC drains in SC/ST colony in Fathimapuram East SC peta of Pragadavaram Main village at Chintalapudi (M) of WG District.

(ii) Comprehensive development Project for providing internal roads with CC drains in SC/ST colony in Fathimapuram west SC peta of Pragadavaram Main village at Chintalapudi (M) of WG District.

The V&E Department officials enquired into the allegations on quality aspects in execution of two (2) works sanctioned under NREGS in Fathimapuram (v) of Pragadavaram GP of Chintalapudi (M) of WG District and made the following observations against Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi,

i) Executed, check measured the concrete pavement in road No.2,4, & 6 of work No.1 with deficient thickness, which are liable for rejection, but recommended payment for designed thickness. Similarly, the officer executed the concrete item in Road Nos. 2 & 3 of work No.2 with deficient thicknesses, which are liable for rejection.

ii) Allowed to use sand obtained from local vagu in concrete works, knowing very well that the same is not at all suitable.

iii) Executed check measured and recommended payment to the concrete pavement laid with inferior quality materials in all the inspected roads in both the works, resulted in rejection of roads, causing loss of Rs.19,57,299/- to Govt. exchequer.

iv) Executed the CC Roads in collusion with un-authorized persons duly keeping the originally nominated Work Executive Member aside.

By his above mentioned act, Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District, failed to discharge his duties, lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of a Government Servant & thereby contravened Rules, 3(1) and 3(2) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

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ANNEXURE-III

List of documents by which the article of charges framed against Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District.

Vigilance Report No.32 9C.No.96/V&E/E2/2014), dated: 27.04.2016 of the Director General, General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department.

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ANNEXURE-IV

List of witnesses by whom the article of charges framed against Sri D.Satyanarayana, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI SD Chintalapudi, now working at PRI SD, Gopalapuram, WG District.

-**NIL-**

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